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THE

EIGHTEEN MANŒUVRES,

AS PRACTISED BY HIS

MAJESTY's INFANTRY,

WITH A

COPPER-PLATE ENGRAVING TO EACH,

SHEWING

THE DIFFERENT POSTS

OF THE

Commiſſioned and Non-Commiſſioned Officers, Privates, &c.

TOGETHER WITH THE

WORDS OF COMMAND,
CAUTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS.

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I.—Close Column in Rear, Grenadiers.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will form close Column of Companies in rear of the Grenadiers.	
Grenadiers ſtand faſt.---Remaining Companies to the right face, quick march - - - - - - - - - - -	2d Co. halt, front, dreſs 3d Co. halt, front, dreſs &c.
The Column will advance.	
March, halt.	
Column of Companies will form Colum of Grand Diviſions,	
Left Companies, left face, quick march	Halt, front, dreſs, eyes front, march, halt, dreſs
The Column will cloſe to the front	
March - - - - - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs.
The Column will take Ground to the Right, and on the march deploy into Line on the 4th Grand Diviſion.	
Column,---right face, quick march.	
Fourth Grand Diviſion,---halt, front, -	[front. March, halt, dreſs, eyes
Third Grand Diviſion ---halt, front. -	Mar. halt, dreſs, ditto.
Second Grand Diviſion,---halt, front -	Mar. halt, dreſs, ditto.
Firſt Grand Diviſion,---halt, front. - -	Mar. halt, dreſs, ditto.
The Regiment will fire by Companies two rounds from Left to Right.	Light Infantry, ready, preſent fire, &c. 7th Company, ditto

DESCRIPTION OF THE FIRST MANŒUVRE.

At the Commanding Officer's Word, to the Right face, the three Files on the Right as ſoon as they have faced, will diſengage to the Rear, and the Serjeant goes to mark out the ground in Rear of the Captain of the 1ſt Company, who has come from the Right to the Left of his Company. At the word, March, the Supernumerary Rank march at the Head of the Company, round the rear of the Serjeant, followed by the men till the Left-hand man comes clear of the Serjeant, they then get the words, Halt, front, dreſs, from their Officer.

When the Left Companies are faced to the Left, the officer of that Company is to march forward with his men, and his Serjeant takes his place on the Right of the Left Company. The Captains of the Right Companies, halt, front, and dreſs the Left Companies, ſo that the Commander of the Grand Diviſion is on the Right of the Grand Diviſion, the other Captains on the Left, and the Serjeant of the Left Company in the Center of the Grand Diviſion. When the Column is deploying into Line, the Commander of the Grand Diviſion goes to the Left to dreſs it, and the Captain of the Left Diviſion takes his poſt, which has been kept by his Serjeant.

N. B. The Rear Grand Diviſion is marched up to the Front Grand Diviſion's place.

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II.—Close Column in Front of Light Infantry.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will form close Column in front of the Light Infantry--Light Infantry ſtand faſt.	
Remaining Companies--Left face, quick march	Halt, front, dreſs.
The Column will advance.	
March, halt.	
Column of Companies will form Column of Grand Diviſions.	
Left Companies.--left face, quick march.	Halt, front, dreſs. eyes front.
The column will cloſe to the front.	
March, ...	Halt, dreſs.
The Column will take Ground to the Left, and on the March deploy on the firſt Grand Diviſion.	
Column,---left face, quick march	
Firſt Grand Diviſion,---halt, front . .	Dreſs, eyes front.
Second Grand Diviſion,---halt, front .	Mar. halt, dreſs, ditto
Third Grand Diviſion,---halt, front. .	Mar. halt, dreſs. ditto
Fourth Grand Diviſion,---halt, front. .	Mar. halt, dreſs, ditto
The Regiment will fire by Companies two Rounds, from Right to Left.	Grenadiers.---ready, preſent, fire. Second Company, &c.

SECOND.

At the Commanding Officer's word, to the left face, the three left files disengage to their front, and the Serjeants step briskly out to mark the ground, the Supernumerary Rank march in Rear of the Company; the officers lead their men 'till the breast of the front rank men come up to the Serjeants' right shoulder, and then give the words, halt, front, dress.

The left companies face to the left, as in the first manœuvre, and deploy into line in the same manner, being dressed by the Captain of the right companies.

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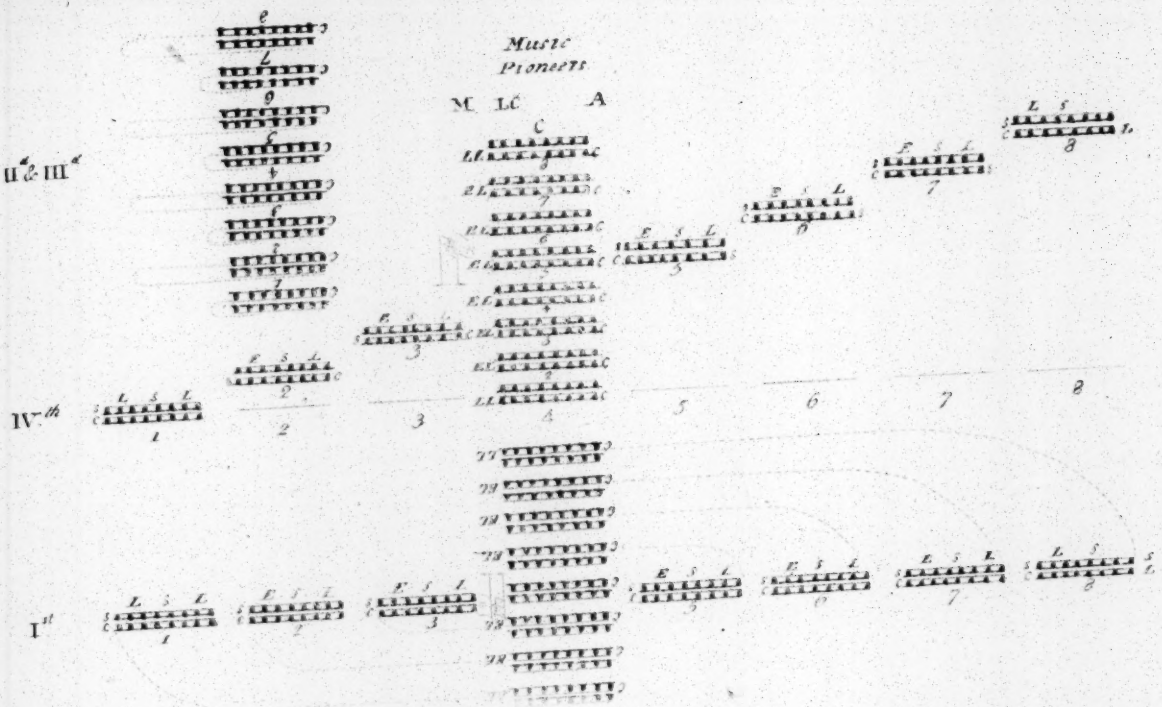

III.—Close Column on a Central Company, facing to the Rear.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will form a close Column on the right center Company, facing to the Rear, left in front.	Fourth Company,— right face— Right counter-march,— quick march, halt, front, dress.
Remaining Companies,---outward face, to the left countermarch, quick march. Column, left face.	Halt, front, dress
The left Companies will lead out	
Left Companies,---quick march, halt.*	
The whole to the left countermarch.	
Quick march -	Halt, front, dress
The Column will form line on the right center Company.	
Remaining Companies,---outwards face, quick march	Halt, front, dress. eyes front.
The regiment will fire by Companies two rounds from center to flanks.	Ready, present, fire†.

* *N. B.* The left Companies will be ordered to halt, or not, as the Commanding Officer on the Parade chuses.

† *N. B.* The Fourth and Fifth Companies make ready together. ---The Fourth fires first; then the Fifth; then the Third, Sixth, Second, Seventh, First, Eighth.

THIRD.

As ſoon as the Right Center Company is faced, the Serjeants ſtep briſkly out to take up their ground, The Serjeants of the Left Wing come in Front, the Right Wing go to the rear, the Heads of Files diſengage to their Serjeants, and the Captains lead them, viz. the Captains of the Left Wing halt on the Right of their Serjeants, their men march cloſe to the rear of the Serjeants, ſtraight forward, till the Right-hand men of the front rank clear the Serjeants, and the Right Wing lead up to the Serjeant's left ſhoulder, where they are halted and dreſſed At the word, Left face, the Serjeants face to the Right-about, and take the ground their Officers ſtood upon, when the officers head their Diviſions, and at the word, Countermarch, the Captains lead their front rank man's breaſt to the Serjeant's right ſhoulder, and give the words, Second or Third, &c. company, Halt, front, dreſs. At the words, Outwards face, quick march, the officers of the Right Wing halt themſelves on the left of the Company, dreſs their men to the camp colour on the right, the officers of the Left Wing remain on the Right of their Companies, and dreſs their Companies to the Left camp colour; but as ſoon as the Companies are faced and marched from the ground, the Right Center Company muſt take the ground the firſt Company ſtood upon.

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IV.—Change of Position in open Column.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
Companies on your left backwards wheel,	
Quick march.	Halt, dreſs.
The Column will advance.	
March, *(forty paces.)*	
The Column will change its direction towards the Colour thrown out.	Grenadiers---right ſhoulders forward, ---forward.
N. B. When the firſt four Companies are in the new alignement, the commanding Officer halts the Column.	
Halt.	
The rear Companies will file into the new Alignement.	
Rear Companies—right face, quick march.	Right ſhoulders forward, forward, halt, front.
Left wheel into Line, quick march.	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.

FOURTH.

At the Commander's word, the Rear Companies will file into the new alignement, the Serjeants of the Rear Companies ſtep out to mark the ground, and the men march to the Rear of the Serjeants, the Officers halt on the Left of their Serjeants, and give the word, 4th, 5th, 6th, or 7th Company, halt, front, dreſs, taking care to name their Companies and Files, the Files are numbered from the Right, 1, 2, 3, &c.

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V.—Wings thrown back.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Light Infantry Company will wheel backward, four paces, on the Left, and the remaining Companies, two paces.	
By Companies on the left backward wheel.	
Quick march.	Halt, dreſs.
Light Infantry Company ſtandfaſt.	
Remaining Companies, right about face.	
Form Line on the Light Infantry Company.	
Quick march.	Right ſhoulders forward. Left ſhoulders forward. Halt, dreſs, eyes front

FIFTH.

At the Commanding Officer's words, By companies on your Left backward wheel, the left Pivot men make a quarter face to their Right, and the covering Serjeants go to the 8th File from the Left, turning their backs to the 8th File's back, ſtep out two paces, and face to the Right-about, and as ſoon as the backs of the men come to the Serjeants' breaſts, the Serjeants give the word, Halt, and the Officers dreſs their Companies, the Serjeants then fall in and cover their Officers. At the Commander's words, Form line on the Light Infantry Company, quick march, the Officers head their men till they arrive within three paces of the formed Company, and poſt themſelves on the third File from the Right of the formed Company, their men march forward till the front rank are in line with the formed Company's rear rank, they are then halted, fronted, and dreſſed to the camp colour on the Right, and the officers fall in on the Right of their Companies.

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VI.—Counter-march and Change of Position.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
Companies on the Left backward wheel, ---quick march.	Halt, dreſs.
The column will countermarch to the Right.	
Companies---Right face,--Right counter-march, quick march	Halt front, dreſs.
The column will advance (thirty or forty paces)	
March, halt.	
The column will cloſe to the Front.	
Quick march,---Form ſolid ſquare.	
Outward face, quick march	
Prepare for firing.	
Commence independent firing, (*after the general is beat*,---Kneeling Rank,—preſent, fire,---prime, load.	
Form cloſe Column.	
Quick march.	
Column open from the rear, quick march.	Second Company, halt, &c.
The Column will change Front by Countermarch of Companies, from the Rear to the Front.	
Right Wing to the Front.	Grenadiers, right face, quick march, halt, front, march, ſecond company, right face, quick march, halt front, march, third, fourth, &c.
Halt.---Left wheel into Line.	
Quick march.	Halt, dreſs, Eyes front.

SIXTH.

At the Commanding Officers word, to the Right face, the Officers head their men, the Serjeants take the officers' places, and face to the Right-about, the Companies are countermarched to the Right, till the breaſts of the right-hand men come to the Serjeants' left ſhoulders, then fronted as before deſcribed. At the words, Ourwards face, all the Companies face from their Center, the Right Subdiviſions to the Right, and the Left to the Left, except the Front and Rear Diviſions, thoſe two Diviſions face into the Center; at the word, March, they file into the Square from the center of the two Companies, the Supernumeraries at the words, Outwards face, march, will ſtand faſt, and the men march by them. The ſquare is reduced in like manner, when the Column is ordered to open from the Rear, the Captain of the 1ſt Company halts the 2d Company. the 2d halts the 3d, &c. When the Companies are ordered to face, and bring the Rear to the Front, each officer faces his men to the Right, and ſtands faſt 'till his men paſs his Front, he then gives the words, halt, front, march. He muſt take care to let the rear Diviſion paſs him before he gives his men the word, March.

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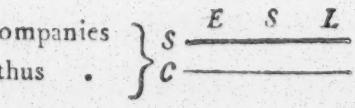
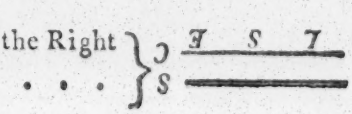
The Front of Companies are marked thus . 

When faced to the Right about, thus. . . . 

VII.—Counter-march by Files on the Center of the Regiment.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will counter-march on its center, by files.	
Wings, inward face—Wings, three fide ſteps to the right, (*two if only two deep.*)—march, halt.	
To the left, counter-march, quick, march - - - - - - - - -	Halt, front, dreſs, eyes front.

N. B. Each Officer will halt, and front his Company as they come into the Alignement.

When the Battalion change the Front, the Muſic and Pioneers move round the Flanks; the Muſic round the Right, the Pioneers round the Left.

SEVENTH.

At the Commanding Officer's words, Inwards, face, the Captains poſt themſelves on the left of their Right hand men, the Serjeants take their Officers places if it is the Left Wing, but if the Right Wing, the Officers take poſt on the Right of their Left hand men, and the covering Serjeants keep their Officers places; the Officers, in forming the new front, muſt, if they belong to the Right Wing, go to the 3d file on the Right of their own Companies and dreſs, the Officers of the Left Wing to the 3d file on the Left of that Company which is formed on their Right.

N. B. The Colours muſt wheel on the Center to the Right about as ſoon as the ſide Steps are taken.

Pl. 2

VIII.—March in Open Column.

Commanding Officer,	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will form Open Column in rear of the Light Infantry.	
Light Infantry ſtand faſt,—Remaining Companies on the right, backwards wheel, quick, march.	Halt, dreſs.
Remaining Companies left, face, quick, march. - - - - - -	Left ſhoulders forward. Halt, front, dreſs.
The Column will advance.	
March—Form ſub-diviſions. - -	Right, ſub-diviſions mark time.—Quick oblique, forwards.
Form Companies	Right, quick, oblique, ordinary.
Halt, right wheel into line, quick, march. - - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.

EIGHTH.

At the Commanding Officer's words, Left, face, the covering Serjeants ſtep out to take up the ground, covering the Captain of the 8th Company, the Officers march as far as the Serjeants and ſtand faſt, their men march ſtraight forward, till the Right of the Companies paſs the Serjeants, and give the words, Halt, front, dreſs.

When the Subdiviſions are formed, the Captains take the Front, the Serjeants take the Rear, and when the Diviſions are ordered to form, the Captains extend themſelves to the Left of their Diviſions again, give the word, Ordinary, looking to their front, the Supernumerary rank keep up the files, and the men muſt be taught to look toward their Commanders of Companies.

Pl. 9.

IX.—Echellon Change of Position.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will change its Position by the Echellon March, on the Third Company.	
By Companies on the right, backward, wheel,—Quick, march -	Halt, dreſs.
The third Company will wheel four Paces, the remaining Companies two Paces, on the left, backwards.	
Quick, march. - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs.
Leading Companies, right about, face.	
Form Line on the Third Company.	
Quick, march. - - - - - - -	* Right or left ſhoulders forward,—— Halt, front, dreſs. eyes front.

* *N. B. The leading Companies only are fronted, the left Wing is already in its proper Front.—Each Officer ſays, Right Shoulders, or left Shoulders forward, as he may be in Front or Rear of the Third Company.*

NINTH.

On the words of command, two Paces to your Left, backward, wheel, the Left Pivott face a quarter to their Right, the Serjeants go to the 8th file, as in the fifth Manœuvre; at the words, leading Companies to your Right about face, the Captains of the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Companies will take poſt on the Right of their Companies, march their men, at the word, March, to the next formed Company, halt, front, and dreſs their men to the camp colour thrown out on the Left by poſting themſelves on the 3d file from their own Right; the Officers of the Right, which is the 1ſt and 2d Companies, take poſt on the Left of their Diviſions, dreſs on the camp colour upon the Right of the Regiment, and take poſt on the Right of their Companies.

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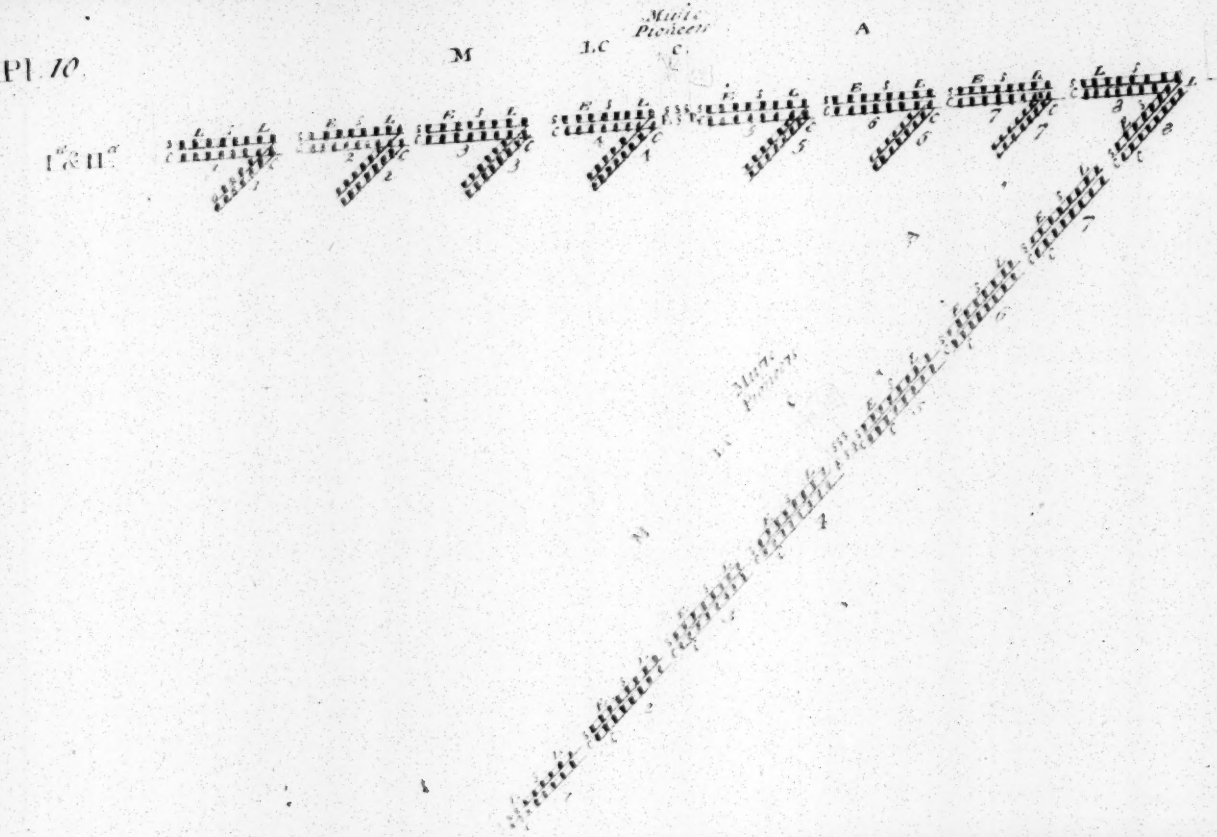

X.—A New Line taken up by the Echellon Movement.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Light Infantry Company will wheel four paces, the remaining Companies two paces to the left.	
By Companies, to the left, wheel, —Quick, march. - - - -	Halt, dreſs.
Light Company ſtand faſt; remaining Companies form Line on the Light Infantry.	
Quick, march - - - - - - -	Left ſhoulders forward, Right ſhoulders, forward. Halt, dreſs, eyes front,

TENTH.

At the commanding Officer's word, Wheel, the Left Pivott face a quarter to the Left, the Serjeants come to the front of the 8th file, and march their two paces, at the word, March, the Officers go from the Center of their Diviſions to the pivott men, dreſs their Diviſions on the Serjeants, lead them into their new direction, and dreſs them quickly on the camp colour thrown out on the Right of the Regiment.

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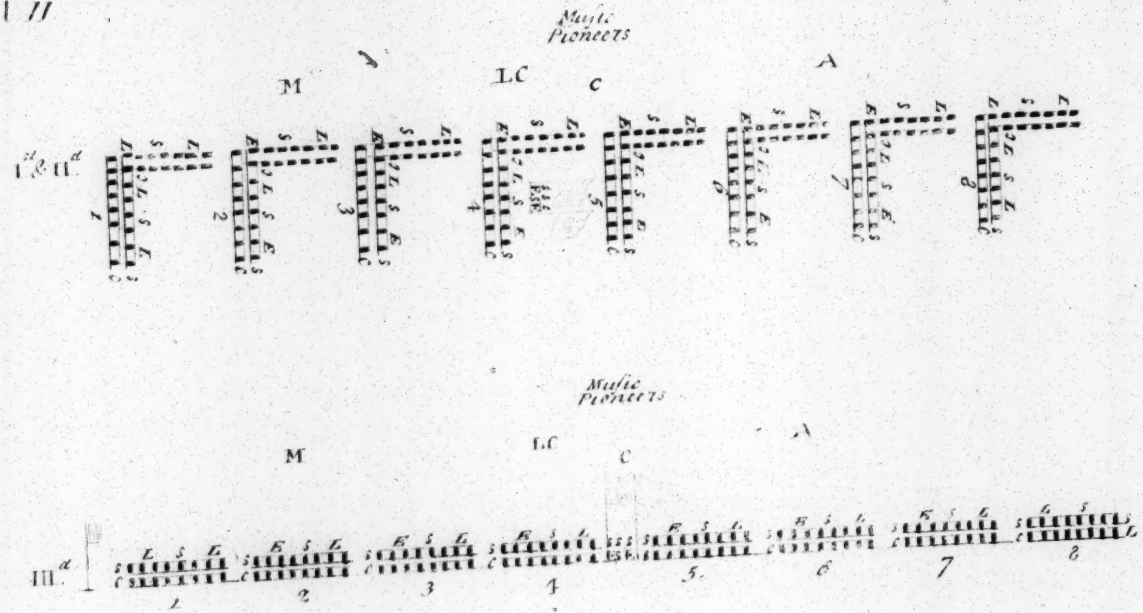

XI.—Change of Position.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
Regiment.	
To the right, face, march, (*about fifty or ſixty Paces in ordinary Time,*) form open Column of Companies - - - - - - -	Left, turn, right, wheel, forward
Halt, left wheel into Line, quick, march. - - - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.

ELEVENTH.

When the Batallion is faced to the Right, the Officers flank their Companies on the firſt file; at the words, open column of Companies, the Officers, as ſoon as they have given the words, Company Left, turn, Right wheel, poſt themſelves on the Left of their Companies, and give the words, forward, eyes left.

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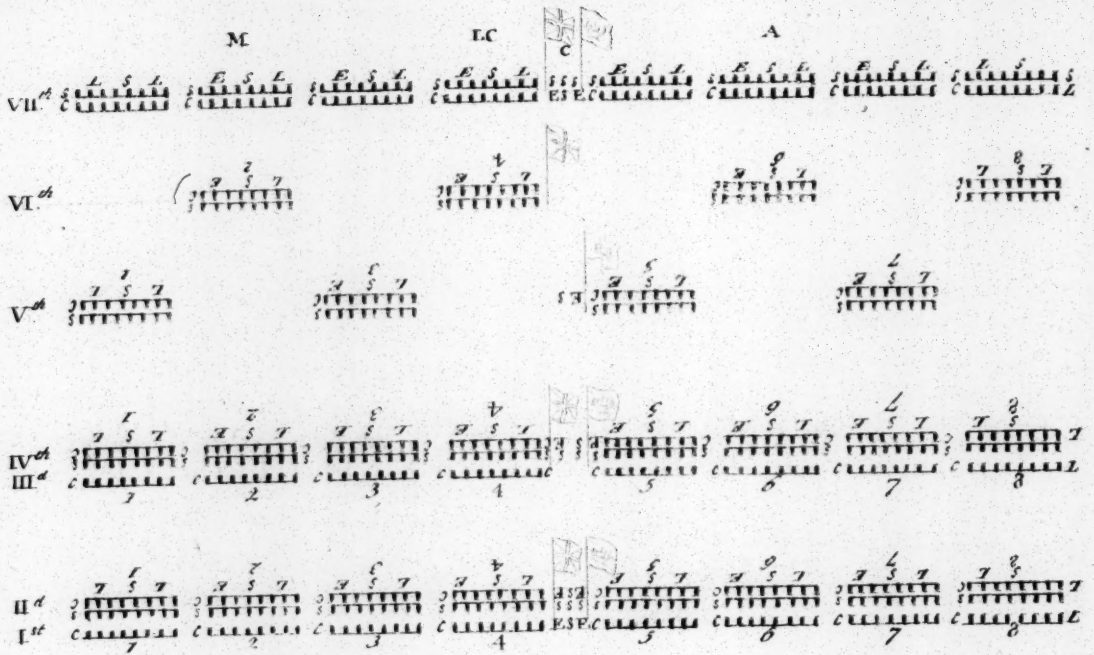

XII.—Retreat in Line.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will retire in Line.	
Right about face,---march, halt, front.	
Fire two rounds from Center to Flanks -	Fourth Company,— Ready, pſent, fire, &c.
The Regiment will retire by alternate Companies	
Right hand Companies right about, face, March, halt, front---Left, hand Companies, ready, pſent, fire---Right about face,---March *fifteen Paces to the rear of the Right Companies,*) halt, front, prime, load, -----Right Companies, ready, pſent, fire---Right about face, ---March, halt, front., prime and load. ---Left Companies, ready, pſent, fire, Right about face,---March, halt, front. prime and load---Right Companies, ready, pſent, fire,---Right abou face, ---March, halt. front, prime and load,	
Left Companies---Form Line on the right-hand Companies.	
Right about face-----march, halt, front	Dreſs, eyes front.
The Regiment wilt retire in Line.	
Right abont face---March, halt, front, dreſs, eyes centre.	

N. B. The Companies may occaſionally be practiſed to prime and load before they retreat, in caſe they come to act with other Corps who uſe this Method—But the Mode above detailed is always to be followed, unleſs Directions to the contrary are given.

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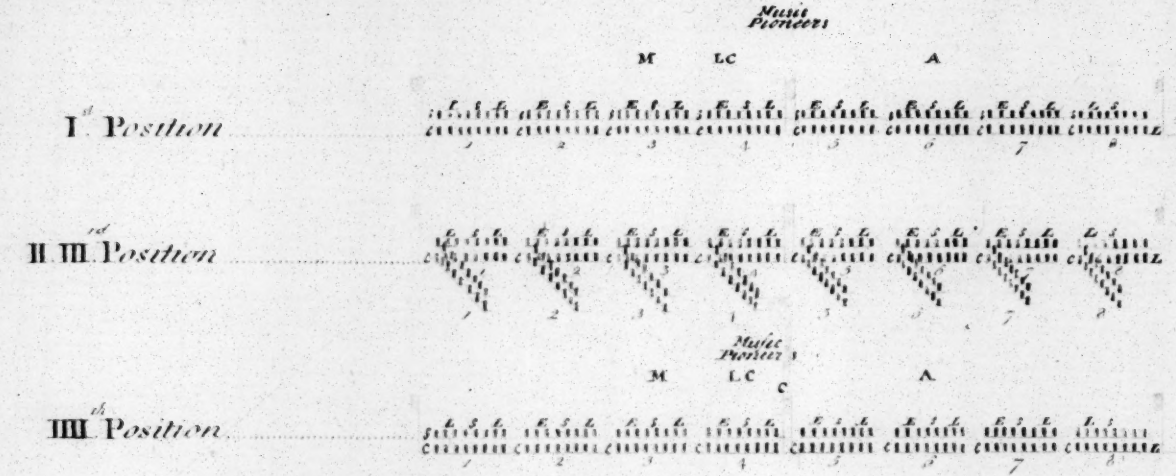
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XIII.—March to a Flank in Echellon.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
Regiment, by Companies, four Paces to the Right wheel	
Quick march. - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs.
The Regiment will advance in Echellon.	
March,—on the Right of Companies, wheel back into Line * —forward—halt.	
Fire three rounds by Companies from Flanks to Center. - -	First Company, ready, preſent, fire.---Eighth, Second, Seventh, Third, Sixth, Fourth, Fifth.

* *N. B. In wheeling back into Line the pivot Flanks of Companies mark Time four Paces, and march off on the fifth.*

THIRTEENTH.

The Serjeants muſt mark out the Ground for the Companies, by going to the 8th file from the Right, as before mentioned.—The Officers muſt be careful to cover on the march the ſame file as when halted, and to preſerve their proper diſtance; whan wheeled back into Line their eyes, as well as thoſe of the men muſt be immediately caſt to the center.

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XIV.—Hollow Square and its Movements.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will form hollow Square on the 4th and 5th Companies.	
Fourth and fifth Companies ſtand faſt, remainder four Paces on the Right and Left backward wheel, Quick march.	Halt, dreſs.
Right about face. (*form ſquare*) March -	Halt, front, dreſs.
The Square will march by the Left Angle of the front Face.	
Right face, to the Right about face.	
By Subdiviſions four paces to the Right and Left wheel---Quick march. -	Halt, dreſs.
The Square will advance.	
March, halt, front, reform Square - -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.
The Square will march by the Left, face.	
Right face, to the right about face, front and rear faces, by ſubdiviſions, to the Right and Left wheel---Quick march. -	Halt, dreſs.
The Square will advance.	
March,---halt, front, reform Square. -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.
The Square will march by the Rear face.	
Rear face ſtand faſt---Front face to the Right about face---Right and Left faces, by Subdiviſions to the Right and Left wheel---Quick march.---Halt, front, reform Square. - - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs.
The Square will prepare for firing, from the Right of Companies	
Kneeling rank. - - - - - - - - -	Grenadiers, ready, preſent, fire, &c. &c.
Ready, preſent, fire, prime and load.	
The Square will form Line on the Center Companies, or front face.	
Right and left faces, by Companies, four Paces to the Right and Left wheel, and reduce the Square.	
The Rear face will make a Wheel and a half.	
Quick March. - - - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs.
Form line.---March. - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.

FOURTEENTH.

The Serjeants mark out the ground as before mentioned, and the Officers poſt themſelves on the Inward Flank in the Echellon Movements; as the Square is advancing, the Officers and non-commiſſioned Officers who command Subdiviſions muſt be careful to keep exact Diſtances in forming the Square, (after marching from either Angle or Face of the Square,) the men that wheeled forward, muſt wheel back to regain their former ſituation. At the words, Square will fire from the Right of Companies, they may either fire by files from the Right, or by Subdiviſions from the Right, as ordered. In forming the Line, the Officers of the Left Wing go to the Right of their reſpective Companies in order to dreſs them, and thoſe of the Right Wing to the Left of their Companies.

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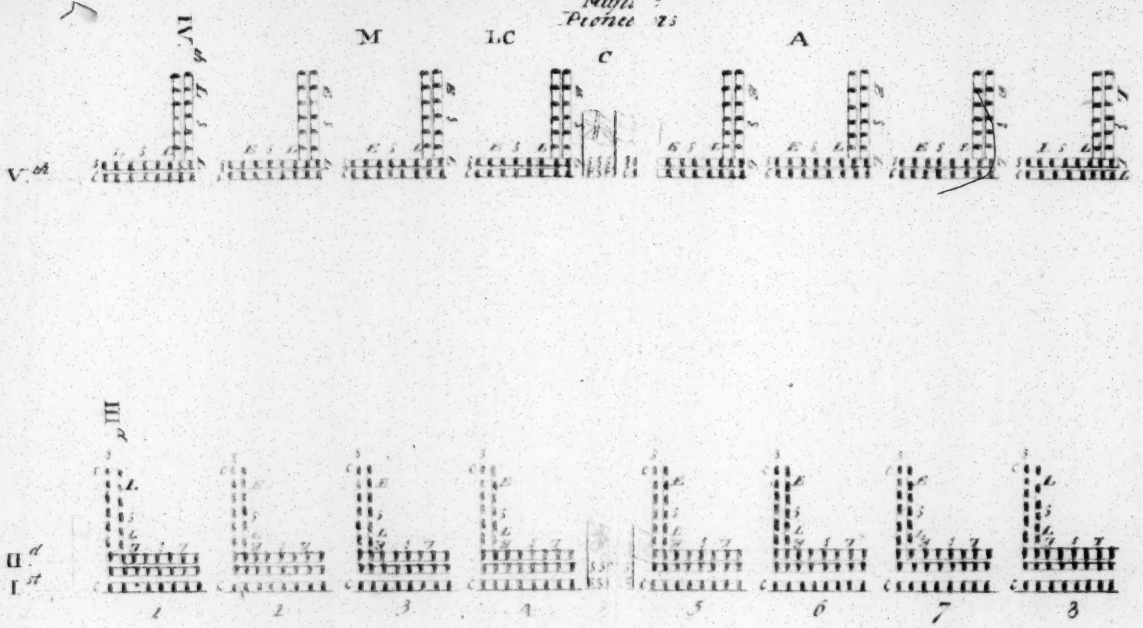

XV.—Retiring in Line and Filing.

Commanding Officer.	Officers commanding Companies.
The Regiment will retire in Line, and from the proper Right of Companies file to the Rear.	
Right about face,—March *(fifteen or twenty Paces)* from the proper Right of Companies, file to the Rear.	
Paſs Companies by files - - -	Left turn, right wheel quick—March.
Halt, front,—left wheel into line,—Quick march. - - - -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.

N. B. The Officers commanding Companies ſhould be particularly attentive that in filing, the Heads of Files dreſs to the left, otherwiſe the Alignement will not be correct.

FIFTEENTH.

At the words, Right about face, the Supernumerary rank faces at the ſame time, and retire in front of the men as it appears to be, but is the proper Rear, the Captains are at that time with the Rear rank, and as ſoon as the Captains give the words, Left turn, Right wheel, they take poſt on their Front Rank, and at the Commanding Officer's words, Halt front, the Officers leave their poſts and take poſt on the Left of their Companies, and when the words, Left wheel into line, is given, the Officers go to the Right of their Companies to dreſs them in Line; and if, Right wheel into Line, to the oppoſite Flank, which is the Left one.

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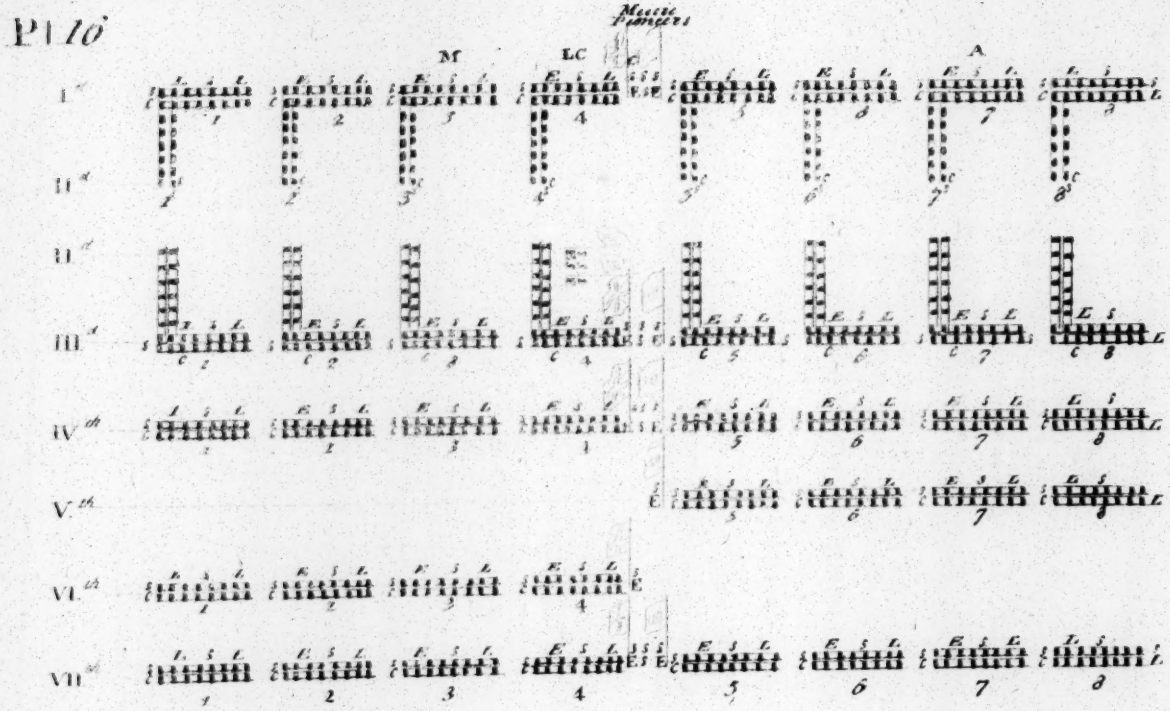
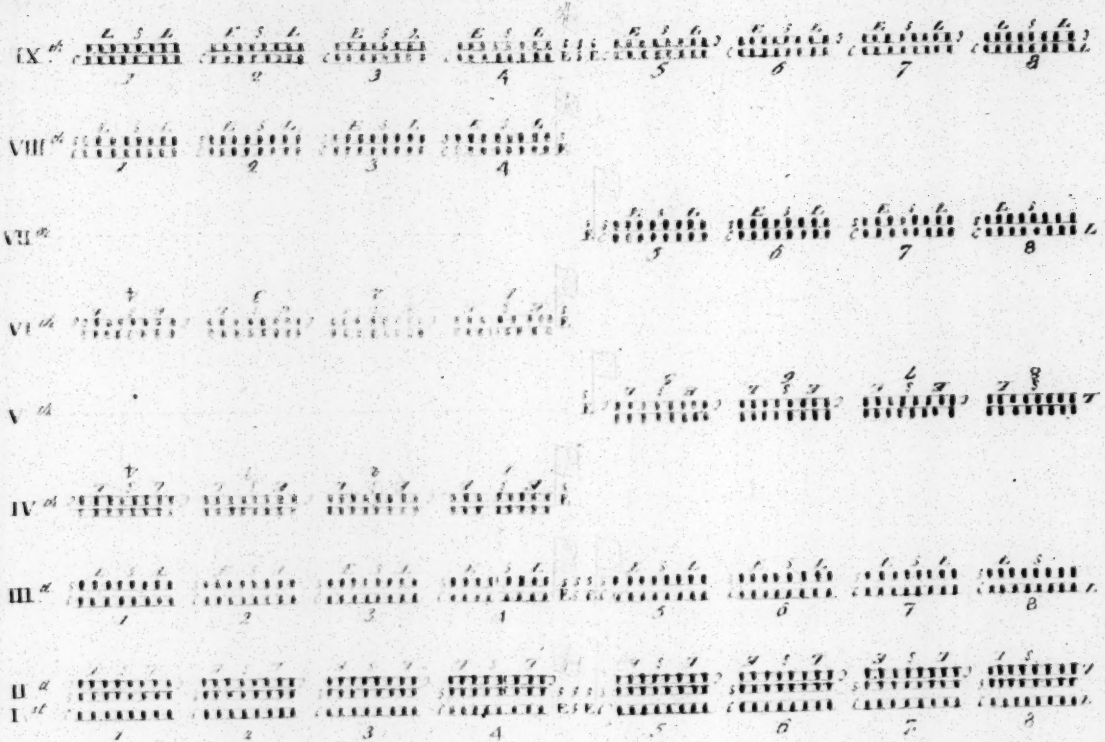


XVI.—Advancing in Line, Filing, Charging to the Front.

Commanding Officer,	Officers commanding Companies,
The Regiment will advance in Line, and on the March file to the Front.	
March.---From the Right of Companies file to the Front. - - - - - - -	Right, turn files to the Left, wheel, quick march.
Halt, Front---Right wheel into Line.---Quick march. - - - - - - - -	Halt, dreſs, eyes front.
The Line will advance.	
March.--Left Wing, halt---Right Wing ready, pſent, fire, prime and load.---Left Wing, march, halt, ready, pſent, fire, prime and load.---Right Wing, march, halt, ready, pſent, fire, prime and load,---Left Wing, march, halt, ready, pſent, fire, prime and load.	
The Right Wing will form Line on the Left Wing.	
Right Wing, march, halt, dreſs.	
The Line will advance and fire a Volley.	
March, halt, ready, pſent, fire, prime and load	
The Line will advance.	
March, halt, dreſs.	
Fire a Volley, port Arms and charge Bayonets,—at the word Charge.	
Ready, pſent, fire---quick, march---Charge, eyes right, halt, (*recover arms,*) prime and load.	

SIXTEENTH.

At the words, Right of Companies file to the front, the Captains flank their firſt file, and the Serjeants keep their Ground, and at the Words, Halt, front, the Officers take poſt on the Right of their Companies, but always at the word of Command, Wheel, from the Commanding Officer, the Officers commanding Companies poſt themſelves three paces in front of their reſpective Companies, in front of the center file.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XVII.—Retreat in Line.

Commanding Officer.

The Regiment will retire in Line, and fire twice.
Right about face—March, right wing—Halt, front, dreſs.

Left wing.
Halt, front, dreſs.

Right wing.
Ready, preſent, fire, prime and load, right about face—March *(fifteen or twenty paces paſt the left Wing)* halt, front, dreſs.

Left Wing.
Ready, preſent, fire, prime and load—Right about face—March, halt, front, dreſs.

Right Wing.
Ready, preſent, fire, prime and load—Right about face.—March, halt, front, dreſs.

Left Wing.
Ready, preſent, fire, prime and load—Right about face.

Form Line on the Right Wing.
March, halt, front, dreſs.

The Line will retire.
Right about face—March, halt, front, dreſs.

N. B. The Regiment, in retreating by Wings, may occaſionally be practiſed to prime and load in the Rear—but not unleſs ſpecial Directions are given for that Purpoſe.

SEVENTEENTH.

The King's Colour goes with the Right Wing, and the Regimental with the Left Wing, and the Center Serjeants ſix paces in front of each Wing, but when halted, fall in again.

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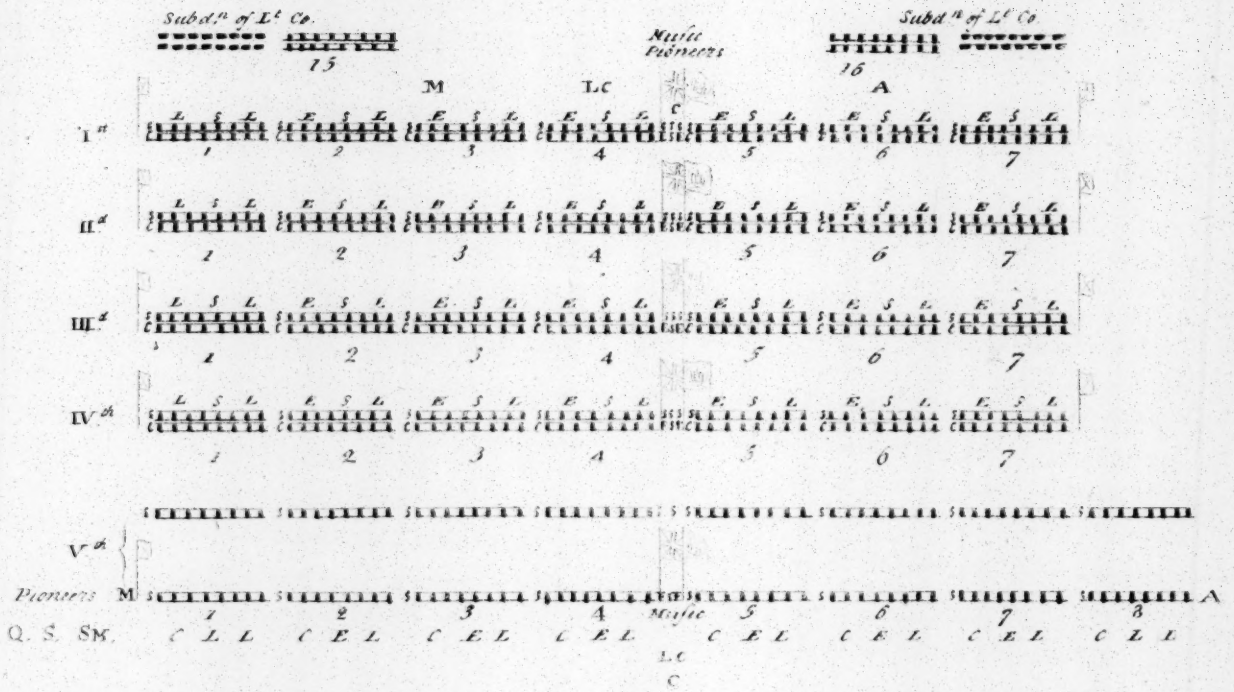
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XVIII.—Advancing in Line.

Commanding Officer.

The Line will advance.

March, halt, dreſs.

Fire a Volley obliquely to the right.

Regiment, to the right oblique, ready, preſent, fire, prime and load, front.

Fire a Volley obliquely to the Left.

Regiment, to the left oblique, ready, preſent, fire, prime and load, front.

The Line will advance.

March, halt, dreſs.

The Regiment will fire two Volleys to the Front; and after the ſecond, port Arms.

Ready, preſent, fire, prime and load—Ready, preſent, fire—Half-cock Arms, ſhut pans, ſhoulder Arms—Rear Ranks take open order—Quick march.

The Line will advance.

March, halt, dreſs, preſent Arms—ſhoulder Arms—Rear Ranks take cloſe Order—March.

EIGHTEENTH.

When the Companies fire obliquely to the Right, the Captains ſtep to the Serjeants' places, and the Serjeants ſtep to the Rear; and when ſhouldered again, the Captains and the Serjeants take poſt: and the ſame muſt be obſerved in firing obliquely to the Left. At the words, Rear rank take open order, the Officers bring their ſwords to the poiſe, at the word, march, take their proper poſts, the Enſigns paſſing through their Captains' interval, and the Lieutenants through the interval of the next Captain on the left of their Companies, and dreſs themſelves on the Officers upon the Right of the Regiment. At the word, preſent arms, take the time from the Fuglemen, commencing with the 2d motion, and ending with the 3d; and at the word, ſhoulder arms, take both motions from the Fuglemen; the Commanding Officer gives the words, Rear rank take cloſe order, bring the ſword to the poiſe and face to the Right, the Captains of Companies mark time on their Right file, till the Subalterns paſs through the Intervals.

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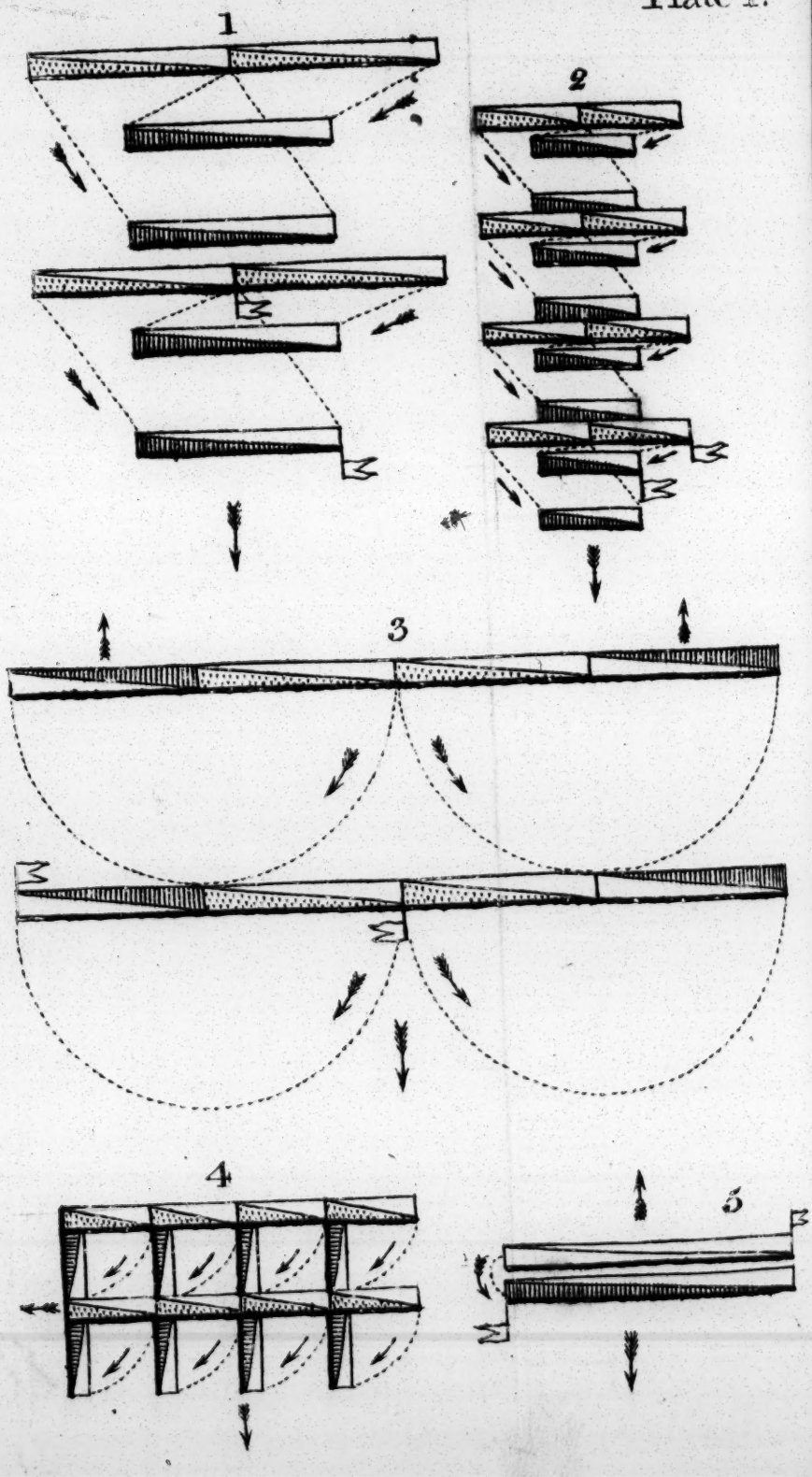

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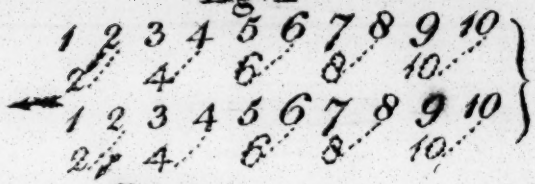
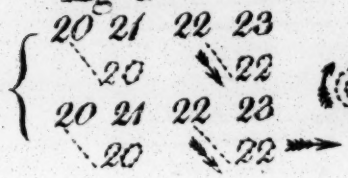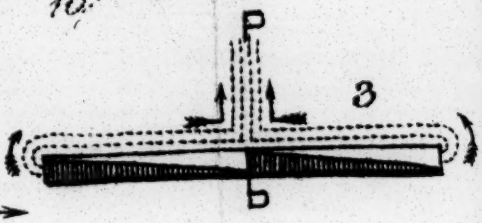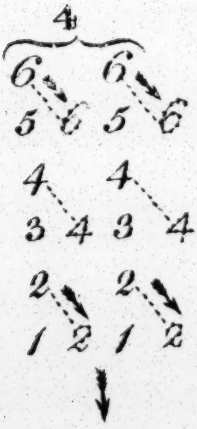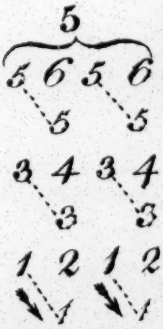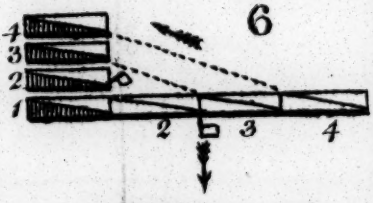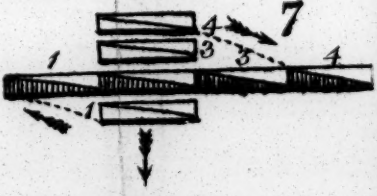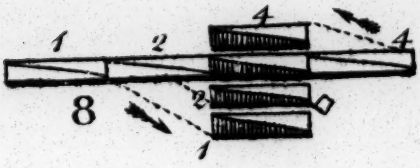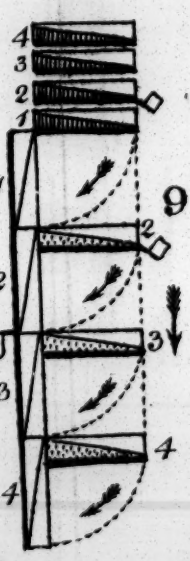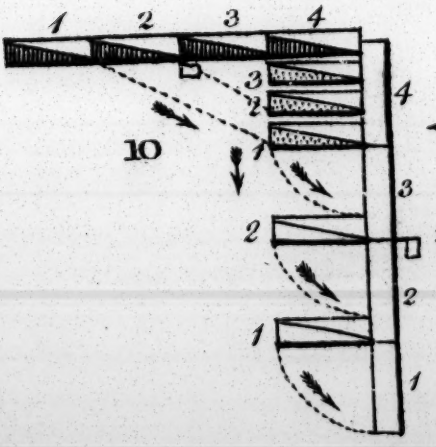
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